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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time in which to extend the time to respond to the Notice of Appeal mailed June 30, 1999 in the above-identified application. This extension of time will extend the period for filing to expire on November 30, 1999.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$870.00 to cover the fees for this action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by this action, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1435. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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